

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

PAUL A. PRICE and
JULIA S. JOHANSEN

Application No.: 09/164,862

Filed: OCTOBER 1, 1998

For: YKL-40 AS A MARKER AND
PROGNOSTIC INDICATOR FOR
CANCERS



Examiner: LIN-SUN HOFFMAN

Art Unit: 1642

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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Julie M. Balot

Date 2/23/2000

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

It is hereby petitioned that a one month extension of time be granted in order to respond to the Office Action dated December 23, 1999. This petition extends the deadline for response until February 23, 2000.

A check is enclosed, which covers the \$110.00 extension fee. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees, which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 13-1030. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Dated: February 23, 2000.

Respectfully submitted,

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